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Selection ~~of claims and qualifications of the~~ candidates
Tailors at Tumkur, Shimoga and Mysore
for the post of the Superintendent, Central
Jail & Jail work Shops.

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consideration, but especially
here to Mysore Needs. In other
respects there would be little to
choose between these two Officers
but there can be no doubt that
the former is a skilled mechanic
and therefore of better
big Gaol notwithstanding
the selection for the present
post will more than be the
most economical arrangement
for the interests of Govt and
the Country jail will shortly
be abolished. The Chief
Medical Officer should be appointed.
Appointed as a 6 months'
probation. B 20/5/64

I am glad to learn from

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From The Judicial Commissioner in Mysore

To The Secretary

Dated 21st May

Despatched

Received 25th " "

Enclosures, No. the Jamilar Statements & three Original Letters with their enclosures.

No 17

Subject.

In continuation of letter No 340 of the 29th Ultimo, submitting correspondence in original relative to the claims and qualifications of the present Jailors at Tumkoor, Shimoga and Mysore, with a view to the Commissioner residing which of them are to be appointed to the Office of Supt of the New Central Jail and of the Jail for the Chief Court Orders.

Reply that after a careful perusal of the enclosures, it appears that all 3 Jailors have strong claims to favourable

Rec'd 27/5/65

No 17

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Mysore Judl Commrs Office

From

C. P. Saunders Esquire

Judicial Commissioner

in Mysore

To

The Secretary to the Commissioner

of Mysore

Dated Nundidroog 23rd May 1864.

Sir,

In continuation of my letter No 340 dated the 29th Ultimo to your address I have the honor to submit in original the accompanying correspondence as per margin from a perusal of which the Commissioner will be enabled to arrive at a satisfactory conclusion as to the relative claims and qualifications of the present Jailors at Seonkoo Shemoga and Mysore who are one and all candidates for the new appointments of Superintendents of the New Central Jail and of the

Jail

To be returned with enclosures

From Supt Bangalore Telegram to Judl Commrs General No 3 of 23rd May 1864 with enclosures.
" Supt Mysore " " Telegram dated 20th May 1864 "
" Judl Commrs " Supt Bangalore " 21st " " 1864 "
" Supt Chittaldroog District " Supt Bangalore No 1 " 21st " " 1864 "
" Supt Shemoga District " " " " 21st " " 1864 "
" Judl Commissioner Madras " " " " 22nd April " 1864 "

jail Workshops which is about to be created on the completion of the building.

2 I annex a tabular statement showing the last services of each of the Candidates whether in the Army or in Civil employ. It will be seen that while the services of Mr Hutton of the Toomkoor jail have been of much longer continuance in Civil employ and under the Mysore Government than those of the other two Candidates, the last Military services of both Messrs Cress and Lees, the jailors respectively of the Mysore and Shemogah jails, have been of much longer duration, and apparently more distinguished, than those of the former applicant.

3 All three Candidates have produced testimonials of a highly satisfactory character, as betokening their fitness for the particular post they want to obtain, and as certifying to their good conduct on all occasions and

general

general merits and qualifications.

4 I have not had an opportunity of making myself personally acquainted with Mr Lees the Jailor of the Mysore Jail, but am aware that he has brought that Prison into a greatly improved state of efficiency since he has had the charge of it, and that his services have met with the special approval of the Commissioner. With regard however to the other two Candidates I have no hesitation in expressing my full concurrence in the remarks made by Colonel Clerk the Offg Superintendent of the Nuggur Division, with regard to the superior claims and qualifications of Mr Hutson over those of Serjeant Lees, who has however shown that he is well qualified for and thoroughly understands the management of a large District Jail, during the comparatively short period he has been in charge of the Shemoga Jail.

Sd/s

As I consider that Mr Hutson has very strong claims on the Mysore Government for promotion to the post of Superintendent of the Central Jail and the Jail workshops, and that from the fact of his general intelligence, mechanical talents, and thorough knowledge of the management of a Jail workshop on a large scale, his services are likely to be peculiarly useful in that capacity, I should have had no hesitation in again bringing his name before the Commissioner for final approval and confirmation, but as I am myself personally ignorant of what Mr Cress' special qualifications for the appointment may be, beyond knowing that a high opinion is entertained of him by his own immediate superiors and others, and that he has borne an unexceptional character and merited the good opinion of those under whom he has served as is proved by the excellent testimonials he holds, I think it preferable to leave it to the Commissioner

to decide which of the above officers should be appointed to the above post, merely adding however, that I am of opinion, that it will be advisable on many grounds that the incumbent, whoever he may be, should be appointed in the first instance on probation for six months.

6 If Mr Hutson is appointed to the post, no further change will have to be made, but in the event of Mr Cross becoming a successful candidate, I would beg to recommend that the former be transferred to the Mysore Sail if possible on a rate of pay slightly beyond that which he at present enjoys, to meet the enhanced expenses to which he will be put and to compensate him in a measure for the disappointment which he will undoubtedly feel on being superseded by an Officer junior to himself in the service

of

of the Mysore Government.

I have the honor to be

Sir,

Your Most Obedt Servant

Judicial Commissioner

A Tabular Statement showing the Ser
Non-Com. Officers and Privates of the Militia
Natures and period of Employment
in Her Majesty's Service

Names	Military Department				Civil Department	
		Years	Mths	Days		
W. Watson	Soldier in H. M.'s 43d Regt. L. I.	6		20		
C. Cross	Private 2d Com. L. I.	1	11	18		
	Corporal — Do —	5	2	1		
	Sergeant — Do —	3		2	1st Class Inspector	
	Sergt Major 12th L. I.	8	10	5	of Unofficial Police	
	Garrison Sergeant Major	2	10	1	Sailor at Esq.	
	Total	19	10	3	Total	
A. Ross	Private 1st Battn Rifles	2				
	Corporal — Do — Do —	1	7	12		
	Sergeant — Do — Do —	12	6	2		
	Sergeant Major	1	3	15		
	Total	20	1	29		

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ty	Salaries and pensions of Officers under the Surveyors Government	Total Amount of Salaries
Years	Yrs.	Yrs.

Years	Yrs.	Days		Yrs.	Yrs.	Days	Yrs.	Yrs.	Days
			Head Sailor and Instrument Maker of Workshop Boom Coor District	6	6	..	12	6	20
6	..		Head Accountant Ex. Engineers Dept.	..	7	..			
7	..		Head Sailor of the Surveyors District	1	5	23			
1	1	..	Total	2	..	23	22	11	26
			Ord. Works Dept.	1	..	..			
			Head Sailor Shimogah District	1	1	6			
			Total	2	1	6	22	9	5

Chas Trevelyan
Ind. Commissioner

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The Instr. Commissioner
in Engine.

Sir Bangalore 27th May 64

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Section
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The Commr desires me to
state in reply to your letter No.
17 of the 20th inst. that after
a careful perusal of the
enclosures, it appears to him
that all 3 Sailors have strong
claims to favourable consider-
ation, but especially Assistt
Mechanic Andrews. In other
respects there would be little
to choose between them beyond
Officer, but there can be no
doubt that the former is a
skilled mechanic and therefore the Commr considers
that his claims preponde-
rate. The selection of him
for the Peshawar Post will
accordingly be the most
convenient arrangement.
For the vacancy of Post-
the Jamalpur Sailor will
shortly be absorbed.

2. The Officer selected
should be appointed as Engr
Artificer on a 6 months probation.

Sd

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To the Judicial Commr
in Mysore

Dated 27th Jany.
Dupd.

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Encl 24

In reply to Letter No 17 of the 23rd Instt, returns the enclosures and states that Mr Hutson should be appointed as Jailor for the New Central Jail on 6 months probation as suggested with certain remarks.

In Mem & A.H.D. 27/5/64.

3. The Secretary of State
has no objection to Lieut
Hutson being appointed
Jailor for 6 months
on probation.

Lieut
Gl. Ex Hutson
for Secy.

1 Letter from the Judicial Commr in Mysore No 17 dated 23rd Instt with 24 enclosures & 8 Estimates

Memo Lieut Gl Ex Hutson has been appointed Jailor for 6 months on probation from the date he takes charge of the Central Prison.

Bangalore 28th April 1864.